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In re Application of: Makower, et al.)
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Serial No.: 09/944,222)
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Filed: November 26, 2001)
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For: Methods and Apparatus For)
Transmyocardial Direct Coronary)
Revascularization)

Art Unit: 3738

Examiner: Isabella, D.

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 24, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.